



19th April, 1800.

Read the first and second time, and committed to a Committee of the whole House, on Monday next.

A Bill

To authorize the issuing certain patents.

1 SEC. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of
2 the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That it shall be
3 lawful, and the proper officer is hereby authorized to issue, patents on
4 surveys which have been, or may be made within the territory reserved
5 by the state of Virginia, North-West of the river Ohio, and being
6 part of her cession to Congress, on warrants for military services issued
7 in pursuance of any resolution of the Legislature of that state previous
8 to the first day of July one thousand seven hundred and ninety-four, in
9 favor of persons who had served in the Virginia line on the continental
10 establishment.